

What is claimed is:

1. An apparatus for packaging fasteners to be worn by a user, said apparatus comprising:

a tray having a plurality of wells, each said well being sized to accommodate a shank of a respective fastener therein; and

an attachment device which secures the tray to the user.

2. The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising a plurality of bores, each said bore (a) being associated with an entrance of a respective said well, (b) having a bore diameter greater than a well diameter of said well and (c) accommodating a head of the fasteners.

3. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein said tray has a first side opposite to a second side; and wherein said plurality of wells comprises a first set of said wells in said first side and a second set of said wells in said second side.

4. The apparatus of claim 3, wherein said first set of said wells are offset longitudinally with respect to said second set of wells.

5. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein each said well is sized to hold the associated fastener by friction.

6. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein each said well has a well diameter less than a shank diameter of the fastener.

7. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein each said well has a diameter at least as large as a shank diameter of the fastener.

8. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein each said well has a diameter greater than a shank diameter of the fastener.

9. The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising an adhesive surface formed on said tray for securing the fasteners in said wells.

10. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein said attachment device comprises:

complementary tracks on opposing sidewalls of said tray; and

a metal frame with two opposing rails adapted to slidingly engage with said complementary tracks of said

tray.

11. The apparatus of claim 10, wherein said attachment device further comprises a strap attached to said metal frame and removably attachable to the user.

12. The apparatus of claim 11, wherein said strap is removably attachable to a wrist of the user.

13. The apparatus of claim 11, wherein said strap removable is attachable to a belt worn by the user.

14. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein said tray is formed from styrofoam.

15. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein said tray is formed from two plastic shells joined to each other.

16. A system for packaging fasteners, said system comprising:

a plurality of fasteners each having shank with a shank diameter;

a tray having a plurality of wells, each said well being sized to accommodate the shank of a respective fastener therein; and

an attachment device which secures the tray to the user.

17. The system of claim 16, further comprising a plurality of bores, each said bore (a) being associated with an entrance of a respective said well, (b) having a bore diameter greater than a well diameter of said well and (c) accommodating a head of the fasteners.

18. The system of claim 16, wherein said plurality of wells comprises a first set of said wells in a first side of said tray and a second set of said wells in a second side opposite to said first side.

19. The system of claim 16, wherein said first set of said wells are offset longitudinally with respect to said second set of said wells.

20. The system of claim 16, wherein said attachment device comprises:

complementary tracks formed from opposing sidewalls of said tray; and

a metal frame with two opposing rails adapted to slidingly engage with said complementary tracks formed of said tray.

21. The system of claim 20, wherein said attachment device further includes a strap attached to said metal frame and removably affixable to a user.

22. The system of claim 21, wherein said strap is removably attachable to a wrist of a user.

23. The system of claim 21, wherein said strap is removably attachable to a belt worn by the user.

24. The system of claim 16, wherein said tray is formed from material comprising styrofoam.

25. The system of claim 16, wherein said tray is formed from two plastic shells joined to each other.

26. The system of claim 16, further comprising an adhesive surface formed on said tray for securing the fasteners in said wells.

27. A method for dispensing fasteners, said method comprising the steps of:

attaching a tray having a plurality of wells with a respective shank of a fastener disposed therein to a user;
placing a magnetized screwdriver bit over the

fastener;

 withdrawing the screwdriver bit with the fastener magnetically attached thereto from the tray.

28. The method of claim 27, said tray further comprising an adhesive surface formed on said tray for securing the fasteners in said wells.

29. The method of claim 27 wherein said attaching step includes strapping the tray to a wrist of the user.

30. The method of claim 27, wherein said attaching step includes attaching the tray to a belt worn by the user.

31. An apparatus for packaging fasteners, said apparatus comprising:

 a tray having a plurality of wells, each said well being sized to accommodate a shank of a respective fastener therein; and

 said tray has a first side opposite to a second side and wherein said plurality of wells comprises a first set of said wells in said first side and a second set of said wells in said second side.

32. The apparatus of claim 31, further comprising a plurality of bores, each said bore (a) being associated with an entrance of a respective said well, (b) having a bore diameter greater than a well diameter of said well and (c) accommodating a head of the fasteners.

33. The apparatus of claim 31, wherein said first set of said wells are offset longitudinally with respect to said second set of wells.

34. The apparatus of claim 31, wherein each said well is sized to hold the associated fastener by friction.

35. The apparatus of claim 31, wherein each said well has a well diameter less than a shank diameter of the fastener.

36. The apparatus of claim 31, wherein each said well has a diameter at least as large as a shank diameter of the fastener.

37. The apparatus of claim 31, wherein each said well has a diameter greater than a shank diameter of the fastener.

38. The apparatus of claim 31, further comprising an adhesive surface formed on said tray for securing the fasteners in said wells.

39. The apparatus of claim 38, wherein said tray is formed from two plastic molded shells joined to each other.